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RED RAVEN

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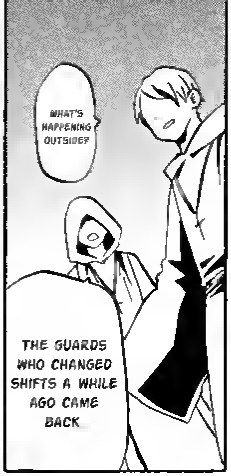
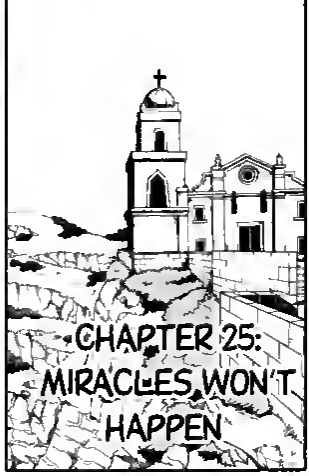

WHAT'S HAPPENING OUTSIDE?
THE GUARDS WHO CHANGED SHIFTS A WHILE AGO CAME BACK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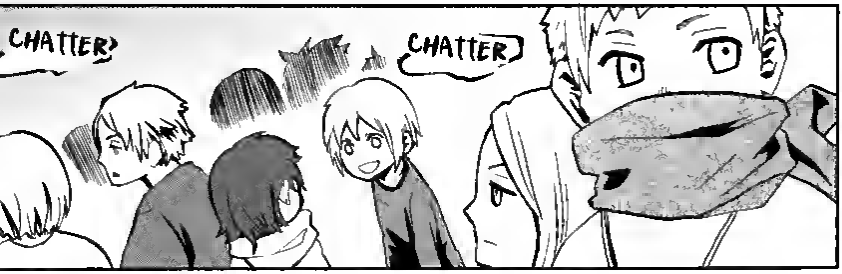
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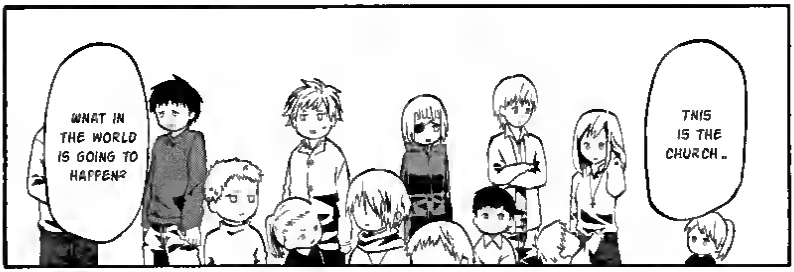
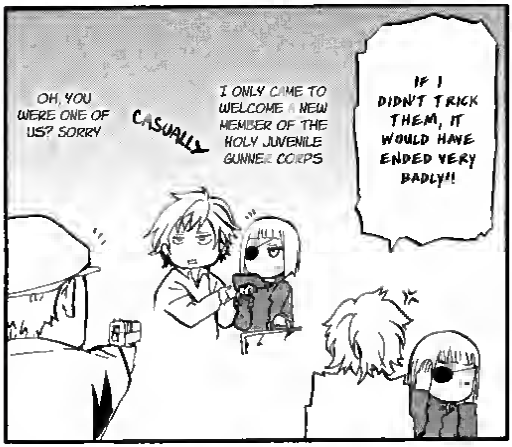

WHAT IN THE WORLD IS GOING TO HAPPEN?
THIS IS THE CHURCH..

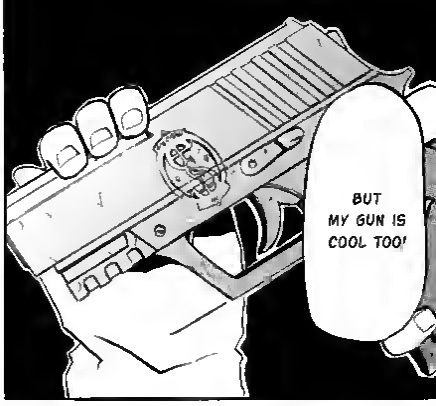

OH, YOU WERE ONE OF US? SORRY
CASUALLY
I ONLY CAME TO WELCOME A NEW MEMBER OF THE HOLY JUVENILE GUNNER CORPS
IF I DIDN'T TRICK THEM, IT WOULD HAVE ENDED VERY BADLY!!

!?
WHY ARE YOU BLAMING ME!!
ANYWAY, YOU'RE TOO RECKLESS, NICOLO.

WOAAHH I WANT ONE TOO.
I GOT THIS FROM "MOTHER"

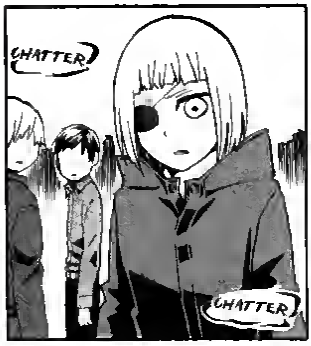
YEAH, BUT...
LOOKS
AROUND
LOOK!
BESIDES, AREN'T YOU LOOKING FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THIS LADY CALLED LOBELIA?

drifts away
THEY'RE TREATING THEM AS IF THEY WERE TOYS..


BUT MY GUN IS COOL TOO!

DON'T TOUCH IT!!

HEY, CAN YOU SHOW ME YOUR GUN..?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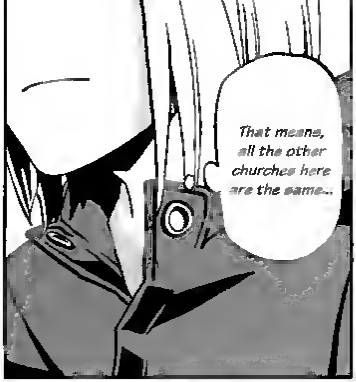
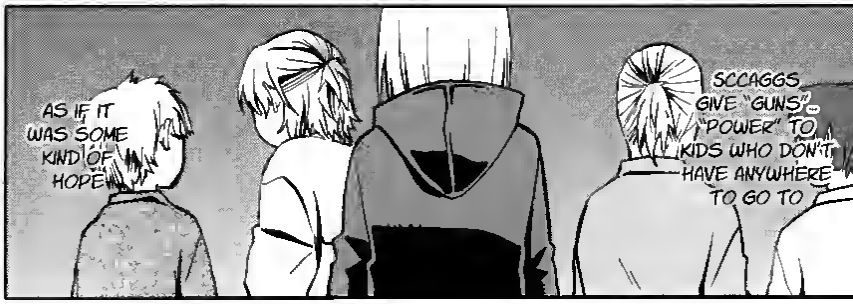
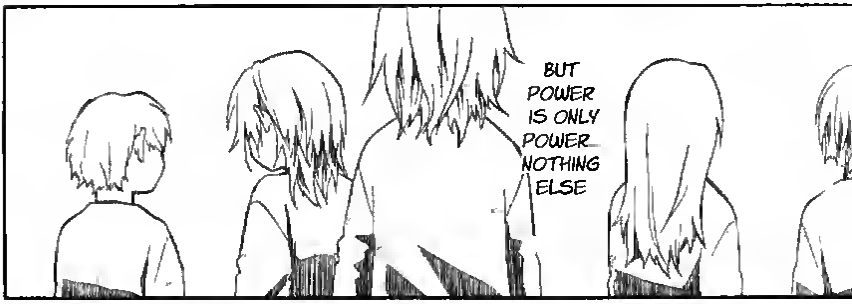
I WON'T GIVE IT TO ANYONE!!
THIS IS MINE!!

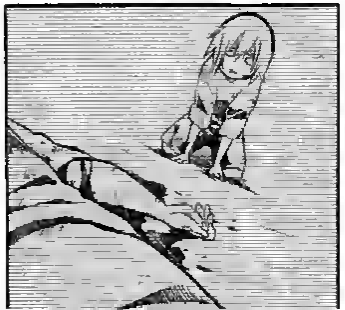
mumble
THIS IS MINE.. AS LONG AS I HAVE THIS... I AM.. I AM...
mumble
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?
OH, YOU DIDN'T GET ONE YET?
I KNOW IT MADE ME FEEL UNCOMFORTABLE TOO.
GUNS CAN TAKE AWAY ALL OF YOUR UNEASINESS
THE GUNS "MOTHER" GAVE US...
WITH THE GUNS GIVEN TO US, IS HOW THE "HOLY JUVENILE GUNNER CORPS" SAVE US.

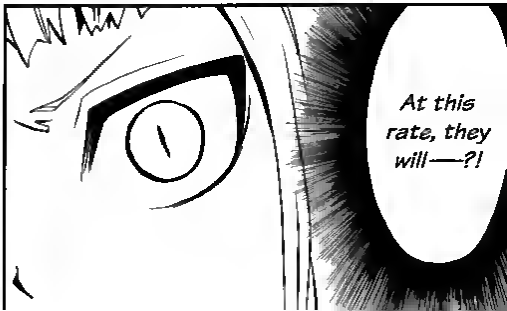

That means, all the other churches here are the same...

THIS PLACE IS THE LAST ONE...
I HAVE RECEIVED A MESSAGE, SAYING THAT ALL OF THE OTHER CHURCHES HAVE FINISHED THEIR PREPARATIONS.


AS IF IT WAS SOME KIND OF HOPE
SCCAGGS... GIVE "GUNS"... "POWER" TO KIDS WHO DON'T HAVE ANYWHERE TO GO TO


BUT POWER IS ONLY POWER... NOTHING ELSE

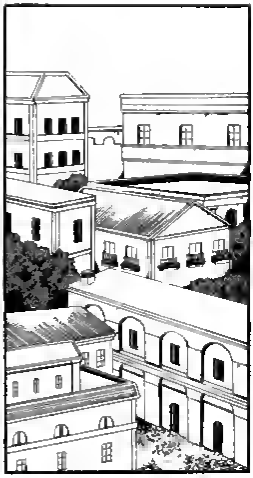



At this rate, they will——?!

NICOLO, LET'S ESCAPE FROM HERE
BEFORE SOMETHING HAPPENS,
I WILL STOP LOBELIA.
THERE ISN'T MUCH TIME LEFT SINCE THE OTHER CHURCHES' PREPARATIONS ARE OVER.
CREAK
JANGLE
NOTHING...
It hurts
WHY DID YOU STOP ALL OF A SUDDEN!!
THUD
UGH

IT'S JUST THAT I FOUND HER EARLIER THAN EXPECTED.
TAP
WHAT...!?
WELCOME BACK!
"MOTHER"
"MO-THER"...!
LOBELIA-SAMA!!

THIS GIRL CALLED LOBELIA IS THE RING-LEADER, AND YOU'RE GOING AFTER HER?
SO... TO SUM IT UP,



I TOLD YOU THE INFORMATION I HAVE, SO TELL ME YOURS!!
YEAH, THAT'S RIGHT.
AND TO MEET UP WITH THE KID IN THE OLD TOWN..

I KEEP MY PROMISES.
I'M NOT A THUG.

I KNOW THAT!! SHUT UP AND STOP REPEATING THINGS OVER AND OVER AGAIN.

OUR BOSS WENT TO YOUR BAR AGAIN.
I told her we're gonna go back once you guys see each other
YOUNG MASTER...?

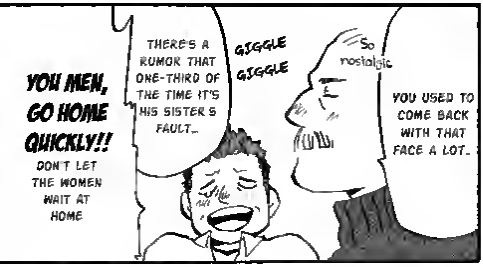
OH! YOUNG MASTER RICARDO, LONG TIME NO SEE!!
WE ARE THE CACCINI'S HELL HOUNDS!! WE'RE DIFFERENT FROM...

CLANG
UGHHH, BAD THINGS KEEP HAPPENING TODAY.

HEY!!
THEY'RE INSIDE, HUH.

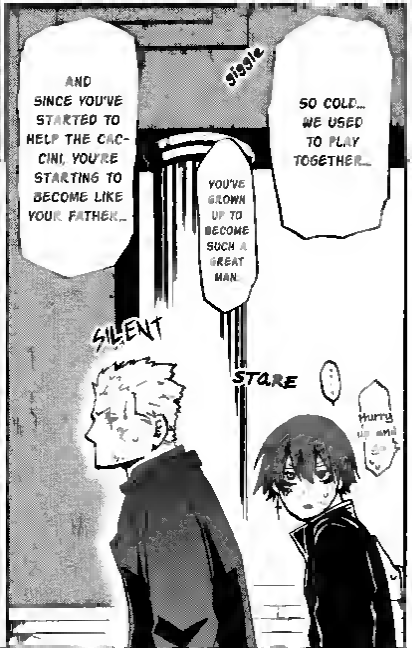
Pfft ha ha!
wobble wobble
THAT'S RIGHT!! YOUNG MASTER, YOU'VE BECOME SO HANDSOME.
TO AN OLD LADY LIKE ME, YOUNG MASTER IS ALWAYS THE YOUNG MASTER.

I'm already 23 years old!!!
GRANDMA ERDA!! HOW MANY TIMES DO I HAVE TO TELL YOU TO STOP CALLING ME YOUNG MASTER!!
YOUNG MASTER! WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR FACE...!!
CHATTER


YOU MEN, GO HOME QUICKLY!!
DON'T LET THE WOMEN WAIT AT HOME
THERE'S A RUMOR THAT ONE-THIRD OF THE TIME IT'S HIS SISTER'S FAULT...
GIGGLE GIGGLE
So nostalgic
YOU USED TO COME BACK WITH THAT FACE A LOT.

SHUT UP!! IF YOU DON'T STOP NOW, I'LL CHASE-
HEY.

WAIT, WHO PUNCHED YOU RICARDO!!
Young master!
BAM
Who dares to hurt the Coccini!!
ANNOYED

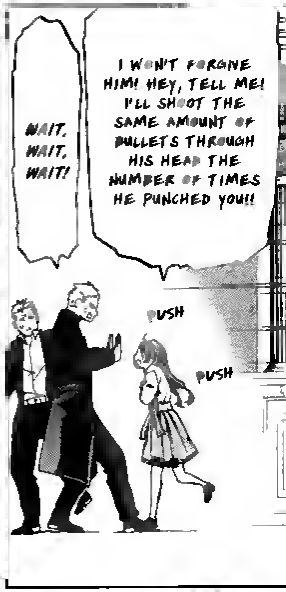

AND SINCE YOU'VE STARTED TO HELP THE COCCINI, YOU'RE STARTING TO BECOME LIKE YOUR FATHER...
giggle
SO COLD... WE USED TO PLAY TOGETHER...
YOU'VE GROWN UP TO BECOME SUCH A GREAT MAN.
SILENT
STARE
Hurry up and go!

WHO DID THIS TO MY RICARDO?
NO... MELA, THIS IS...
TO MY RICARDO...

REALLY... WHO PUNCHED YOU?

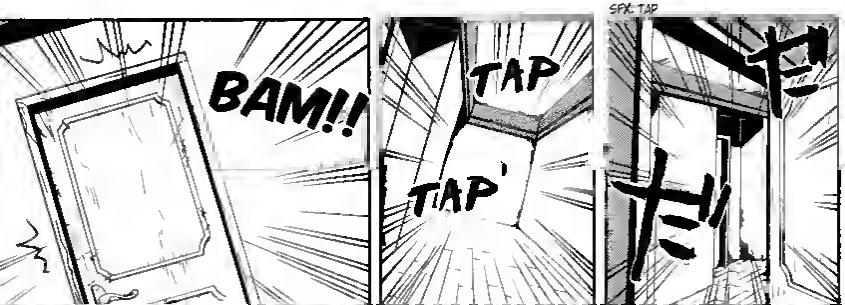
OH, WE'VE MET IN VOLTA BEFORE...
IDIOT...!

sniff
sniff
IF ONLY MELA WAS WITH YOU, YOU WOULDN'T HAVE GOTTEN HURT


WAIT, WAIT, WAIT!
I WON'T FORGIVE HIM! HEY, TELL ME! I'LL SHOOT THE SAME AMOUNT OF BULLETS THROUGH HIS HEAD THE NUMBER OF TIMES HE PUNCHED YOU!!
PUSH
PUSH

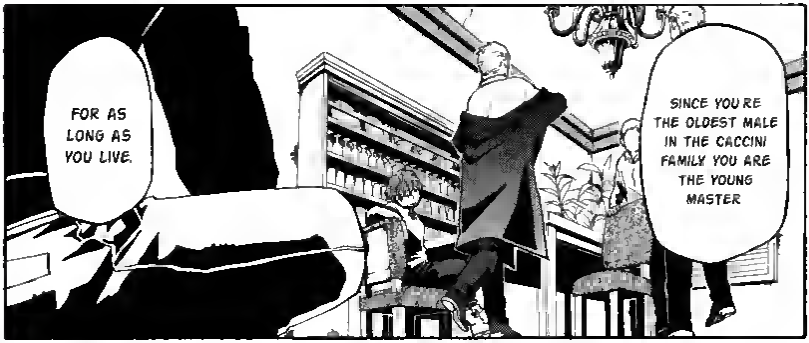
CLACK
I GET IT NOW, I'LL BLOW A HUGE HOLE THROUGH YOUR HEAD.
!?
CRAP...
WERE YOU THE ONE WHO PUNCHED RICARDO?

SFX. BANG
IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE WE'VE DRUNK UNDER THE TABLE.
SHE REALLY STARTED SHOOTING!!
BANG
BANG
CLANG!
AHH!!


BAM!!
TAP
TAP
SFX. TAP

DON'T CALL ME YOUNG MASTER TOO!!
IT'S BECAUSE OF LOVE YOUNG MASTER
It's a bit different for Mela though
SIGH

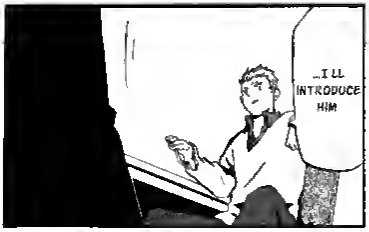
WHAT DO THEY ALL THINK OF ME...!!!
You scared me
HUH? WHAT HAPPENED?

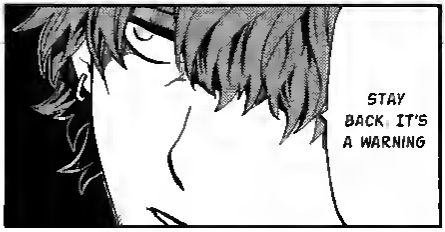

FOR AS LONG AS YOU LIVE.
SINCE YOU'RE THE OLDEST MALE IN THE CACCINI FAMILY YOU ARE THE YOUNG MASTER

TAP

CLING AROUND PEOPLE WHO HAVE MONEY, HUH
EVERY ONE OF THEM...

USH
STOPS

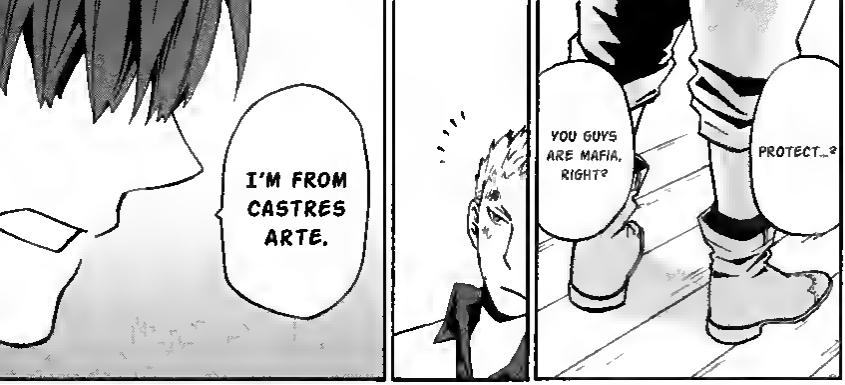

...I'LL INTRODUCE HIM


STAY BACK. IT'S A WARNING

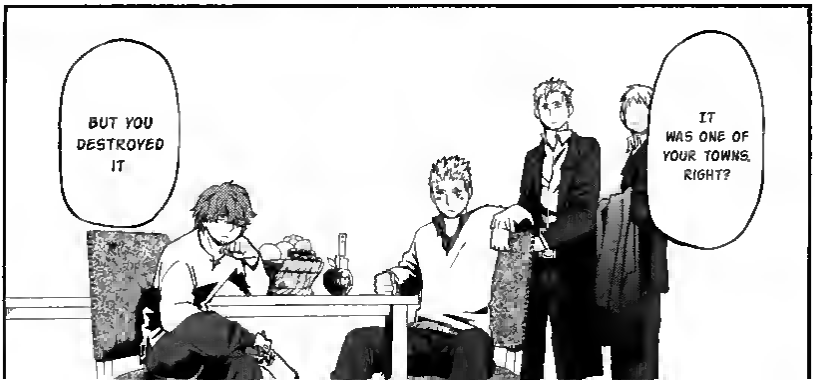
NICE TO MEET YOU...

HE WAS BORN IN ARETAM'S OLD TOWN, SASSI. HIS NAME IS CRESSON
HE KNOWS MOST OF THE PATHS IN THAT TOWN.

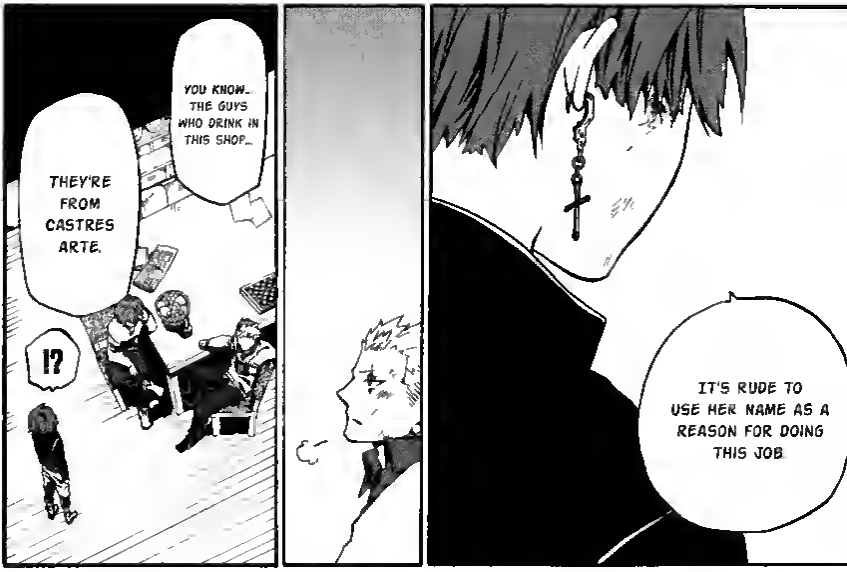
IT'S THE SAME FOR MOST OF MY FAMILY MEMBERS
THIS TOWN IS WHERE I WAS BORN.
ALSO, ONE MORE THING
I WAS RAISED HERE.
THIS TOWN IS EVERYTHING TO ME
MY FAMILY IS HERE. AND MY FRIENDS ARE HERE TOO
THIS SHOP IS ALSO MINE.
I'LL TEAM UP WITH YOU CROWS
TO PROTECT THIS PLACE.
STAB
SO...


I'M FROM CASTRES ARTE.
YOU GUYS ARE MAFIA, RIGHT?
PROTECT...?

BECAUSE YOU GUYS STARTED A FIGHT WITH SCCAGGS.
THE ONLY PLACE I COULD RETURN TO DISAPPEARED
!

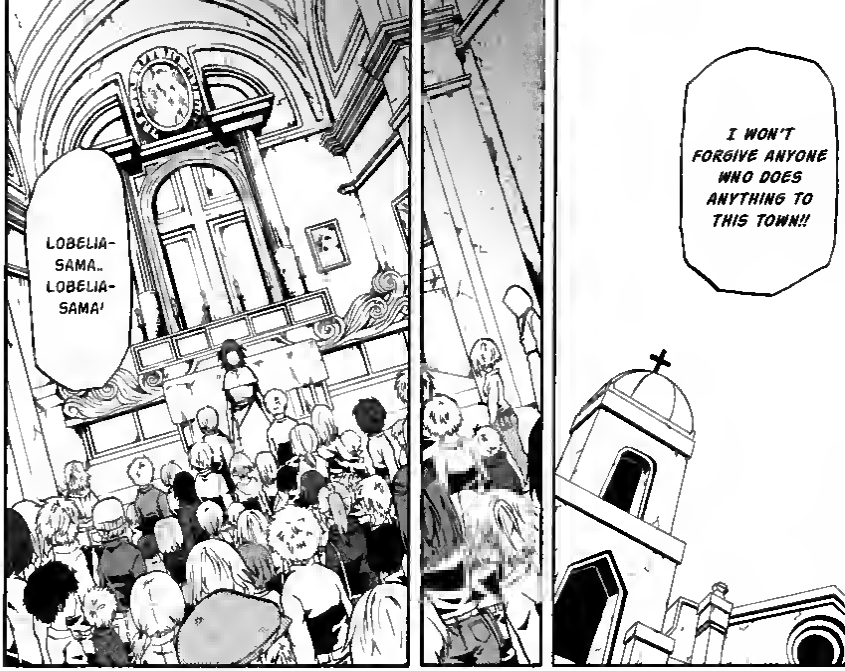

BUT YOU DESTROYED IT
IT WAS ONE OF YOUR TOWNS, RIGHT?

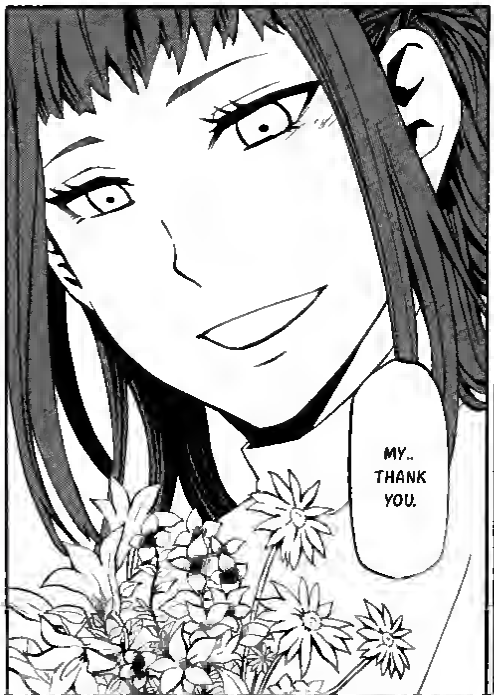
STOP LYING.
YOU'RE SO UNCONVINCING. YOU'RE A RED RAVEN BECAUSE YOU WANT REVENGE, RIGHT?
I WON'T DO ANYTHING. I'LL DO MY JOB PROPERLY.
SO, JUST LET ME EXPRESS MY HATE.
Sigh


YOU KNOW.. THE GUYS WHO DRINK IN THIS SHOP..
THEY'RE FROM CASTRES ARTE.
!?
IT'S RUDE TO USE HER NAME AS A REASON FOR DOING THIS JOB.

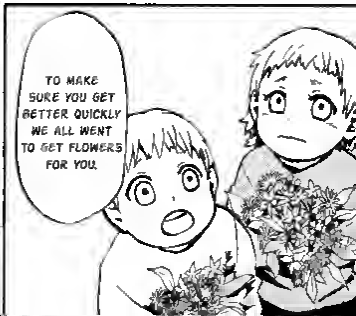
SCCAGGS GOT US PRETTY BADLY AS WELL.
..AT THAT TIME, IT'S TRUE THAT WE COULDN'T PROTECT EVERYTHING..

BUT
WE NEVER THOUGHT ABOUT PROTECTING EVERY SINGLE PERSON IN TOWN.
BUT I WON'T APOLOGIZE.
WE'LL DO ANYTHING TO TRY AND SAVE THEM.
WE WON'T ABANDON ALL OF THE FAMILIES THAT CLING ONTO US.
THAT'S WHAT THE MAFIA IS.


LOBELIA-SAMA.. LOBELIA-SAMA!
I WON'T FORGIVE ANYONE WHO DOES ANYTHING TO THIS TOWN!!


MY.. THANK YOU.

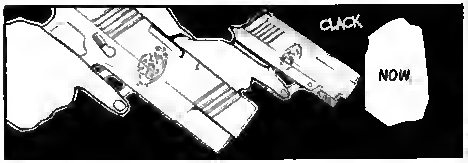
WE HEARD YOU GOT HURT


TO MAKE SURE YOU GET BETTER QUICKLY WE ALL WENT TO GET FLOWERS FOR YOU.

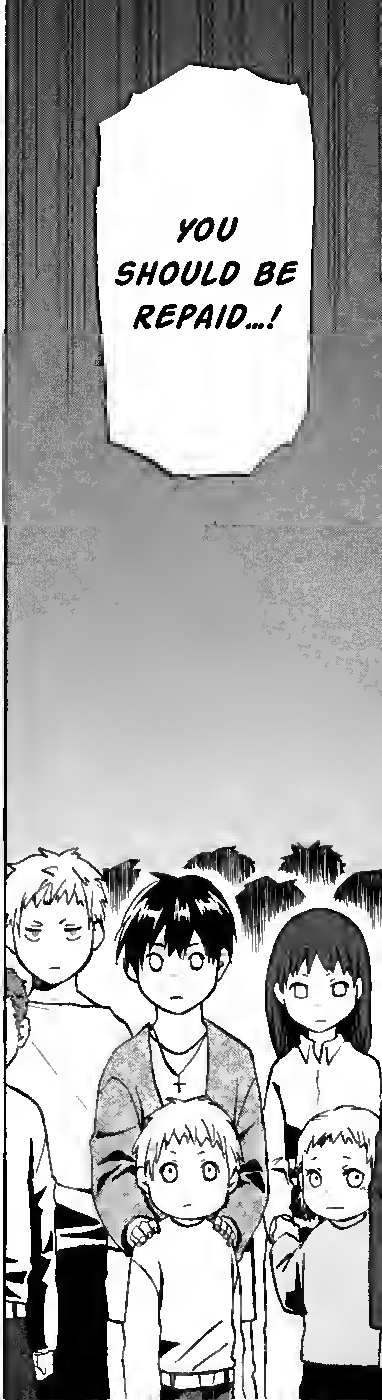
HER IMAGE IS COMPLETELY DIFFERENT..
HEY, ANDY LOBELIA'S THE ONE YOU'RE LOOKING FOR, RIGHT?
SOMEHOW..
YOU KIND CHILDREN...
THAT IS WHY
YES...
THAT IS WHY...

HAPPIER THAN ANYONE ELSE
BRIGHTER THAN ANYONE ELSE

BUT GOD WON'T COME DOWN FROM HEAVEN AND COME TO THIS LAND
THE ONES ON THIS LAND ARE THE GREEDY AND SELFISH MAFIA


CLACK
NOW

DRAW YOUR GUNS TO LIVE ON.

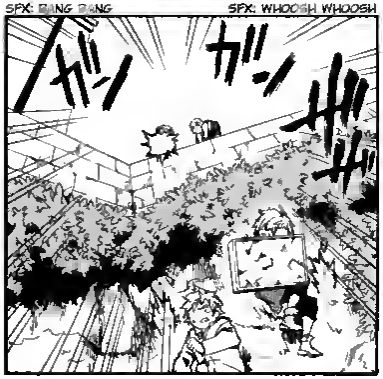

YOU SHOULD BE REPAID...!

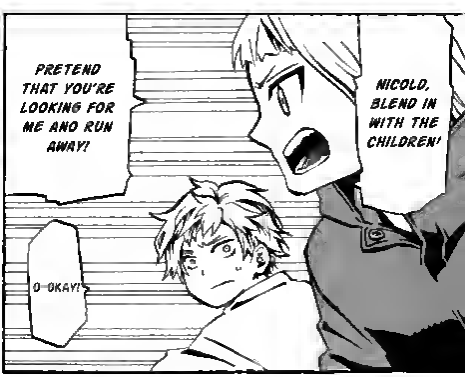
WHAT I CAN DO FOR YOU
IS TO GIVE YOU POWER TO PROTECT YOURSELVES.
THIS IS POWER TO LIVE ON!! THIS IS POWER TO CHANGE YOUR FATE!!
NOW IS THE TIME TO CHANGE THIS ROTTEN WORLD!!
WAAA

NOW THAT WE'RE ALL READY...
HEH
THAT'S A GOOD ANSWER. IT MAKES ME HAPPY.
YOU CAN'T FIGHT THIS LARGE AMOUNT OF PEOPLE ALL AT ONCE!!
LET'S RUN AWAY FOR NOW!!
WAAAAA
THIS IS BAD..
LET'S START BY HUNTING THE CROW.

MUTTER
MUTTER
SFX. CLACK CLACK
カシャ
カシャ
TAP
MUTTER
JUST RUN!
HOW DID SHE KNOW?!
SFX WHOOSH
WHERE...

SFX: BAM!!


SFX: BANG BANG


SFX: WHOOSH WHOOSH
PRETEND THAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR ME AND RUN AWAY!
NICOLD, BLEND IN WITH THE CHILDREN!
O-OKAY!

DAN
WON'T LET HIM GET AWAY!!!

SFX: BAM

HE WENT DOWN!!
SURROUND HIM!!

BANG
BANG
OUT OF BULLETS! SOMEONE CHANGE WITH ME!!
DON'T LET HIM GO UP, FORCE HIM DOWN!
BANG
BANG
BANG
BANG
They're well-trained...
WHY ARE THERE CROSSES HERE.?
IS IT OVER?
THEY STOPPED SHOOTING...

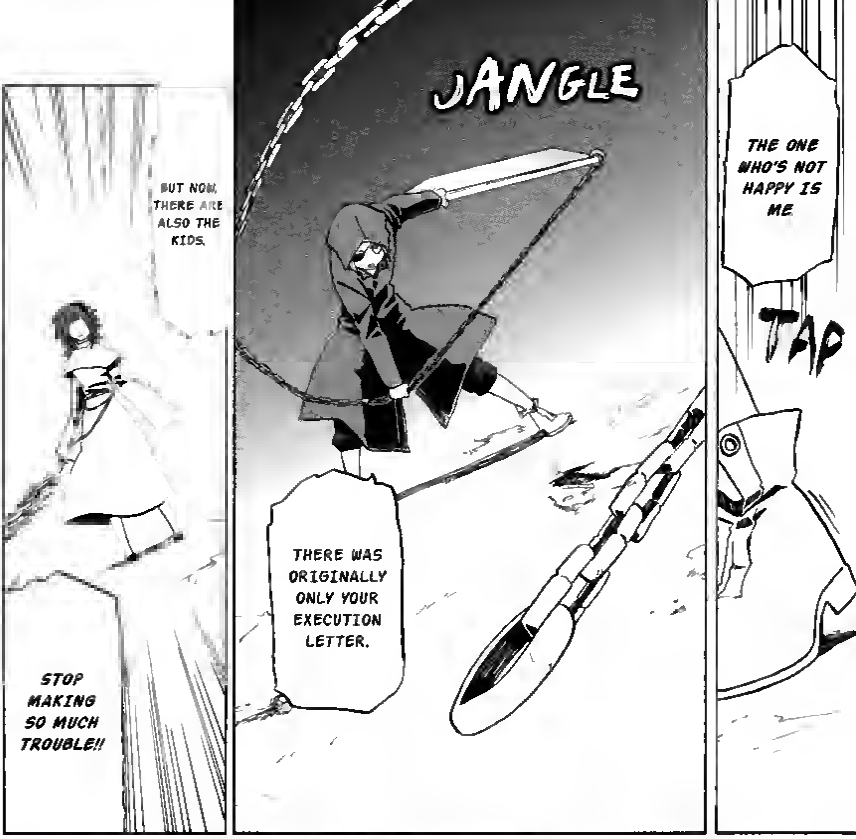
SFX: BAM

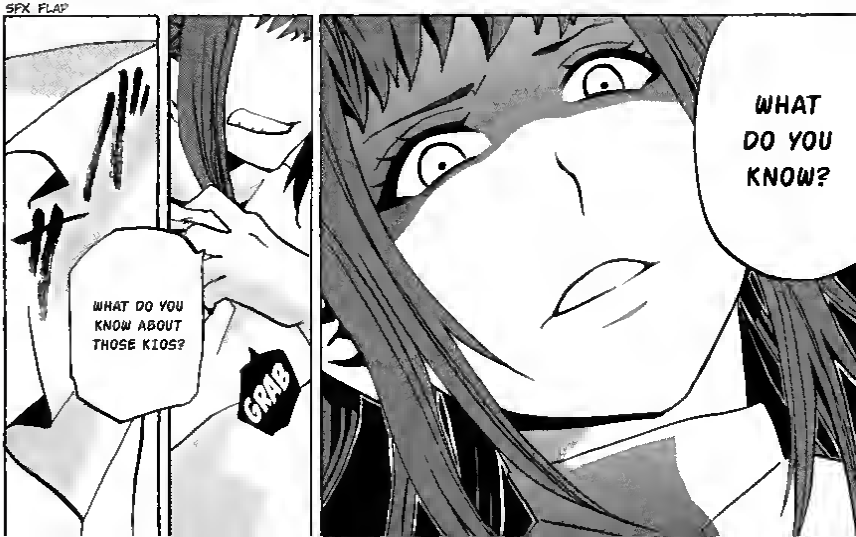
WHOOSH
WHOOSH
CLACK

CLENCH
TCH...
I'M GLAD I FOUND YOU NOW...

IT'D BE UNPLEASANT IF SOMETHING GOT IN THE WAY WHEN IT STARTS.
LOBELIA...!

DO SOMETHING LIKE THAT!!
MAKING KIDS, WHO DON'T KNOW ANYTHING,
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
UNPLEASANT? DON'T MESS WITH ME.


BUT NOW, THERE ARE ALSO THE KIDS.
STOP MAKING SO MUCH TROUBLE!!
JANGLE
THERE WAS ORIGINALLY ONLY YOUR EXECUTION LETTER.
THE ONE WHO'S NOT HAPPY IS ME.
TAP


SFX: FLAP
WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THOSE KIDS?
GRAB
WHAT DO YOU KNOW?

A REVERSE NUMBER LIKE YOU,
GRAB
THE WORLD ISN'T NICE ENOUGH TO LET THE WEAK LIVE!!
WI
SH
SLICE
SHOULD UNDERSTAND THAT THE MOST!!

WHAT DID SHE DO TO HER WRIST JUST NOW..?!
!?
SFX WHOOSH
I AM A REVERSE NUMBER "5", LOBELIA.
SLIDE
SLIDE
SLIDE
SFX THUD THUD

So that liquid is the requirement for her power to activate.
THU
MP
I WON'T LOSE... I CAN'T LOSE!!
THEN HER POWER IS
CUT
BA
!

CLACK

SFX: BAM BAM
FWISH

SFX: BAM BAM BAM

What is she trying to do...
THIS PLACE

SO MANY BLADES AT ONCE...?!

CHILDREN ARE ALWAYS TREATED THE SAME!!
IS WHERE PEOPLE ABANDON CHILDREN THEY COULDN'T RAISE ANYMORE.
THAT'S WHY I HAVE TO HELP THEM.
THUD
THUD
THEY ALWAYS DIED AFTER BEING TOYED AROUND BY THEIR SURROUNDINGS!!
THE ONE SAVING THEM IS NOT GOD!! THERE'S ONLY MY POWER!!
slide
TO SAVE THEM, I WILL.
slide

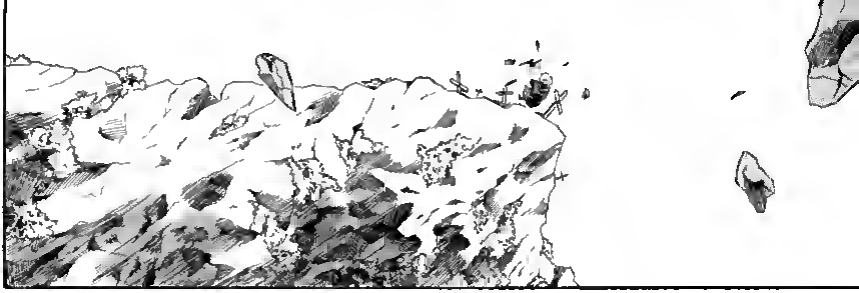
I WILL DO ANYTHING!!
TH
UD
BAM

THUD
THUD
WHAT IS LOBELIA'S POWER...?
I have to do something
CLANG
BAM
TCH..
JUST BEING ABLE TO SEE DOESN'T MAKE YOU THE STRONGEST.

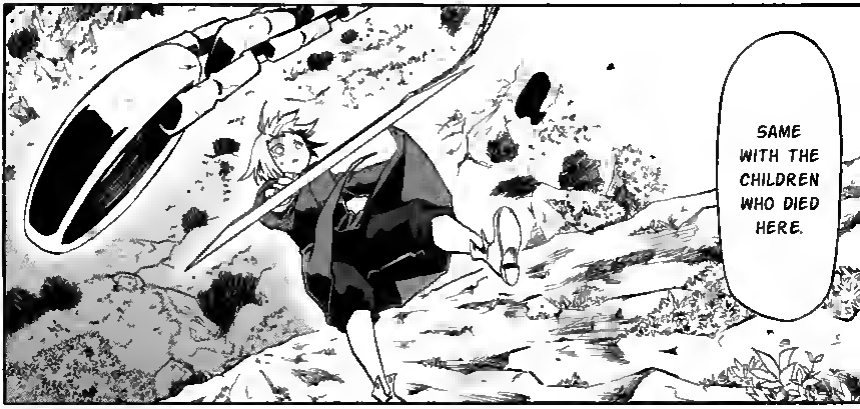
BAM
GLARE
YOUR PAIN.
YOUR IMPATIENCE.
THUD
I CAN FEEL IT THROUGH THE AIR.
SCCAGGS No.500
AND YOUR NEXT MOVE.

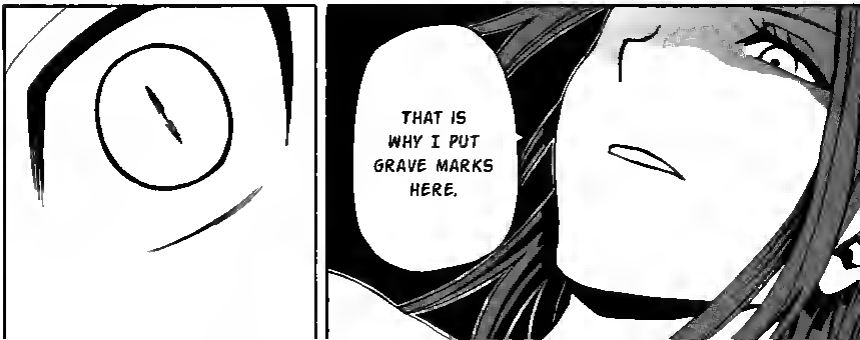
SFX. FWISH

SFX. KICK



MIRACLES WON'T HAPPEN.


SAME WITH THE CHILDREN WHO DIED HERE.


THAT IS WHY I PUT GRAVE MARKS HERE.

I WILL... POWER WILL SAVE THEM.

THUD

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THEN WHY NOT RECRUIT SOME MORE?
WE'RE TRYING BUT IT DOESNT DO ANY GOOD WHEN NO ONE APPLIES
UH SIR? I'M SORRY, BUT WE'RE LOW ON STAFF.
DAMMIT! WHERE ARE THOSE NEW CHAPTERS?!
ARE YOU FREAKING SERIOUS?
MANGA
FIST SLAM
WELL UH, YES ACTUALLY

IT'S SUCH A PITY TOO WE HAVE SO MANY LOVELY PROJECTS THAT ARE JUST DYING FOR STAFF
Hug me
hold me
Love me♥
!
Want faster releases and more projects? Go to http://fallensyndicate.wordpress.com/join/ to find out more on how to help.
WHY ARE YOU LOOKING AT ME LIKE THAT?
?
THIS GUY'S WEIRD STILL, MAYBE I SHOULD VOLUNTEER AND HELP SPEED UP THEIR RELEASES
STARE
IT'S KIND OF CREEPING ME OUT

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